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- A check in the total amount of \$120 is attached for payment of the surcharge of \$65 for late filing of the declaration and \$55 for the Petition for One-Month Extension of Time;
- Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63; and
- Petition for One-Month Extension of Time.

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

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